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SCOTT FIELD OFFICE (PL8)
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IN REPLY

REFER TO: DDC1A

October 15, 2021

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Contract No. HC1028-13-A-0014 Task Orders 002, 003, and 001 (respectively)

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In regard to the subject line Task Orders, you requested “*Any conflict of interest notifications and/or conflict mitigation plans submitted to you by the contract vendee, McKinsey & Company.*”

FOIA Exemption 3 (5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(3)), protects matters that a statute specifically exempts from disclosure. Conflict of Interests Notifications and Mitigation Plans are part of the Source Selection Process therefore information under this process is protected by 41 U.S.C. § 2102. Also, Mitigation Plans are part of a contractor’s proposal. DoD Contract Proposal Information is protected by 10 U.S.C. § 2305(g). Additionally, FOIA Exemption 4 (5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(4)) protects trade secrets or commercial or financial information received from outside of the Government.

For the reasons set forth above, your request is denied in full. Please reach out to our office first and foremost if there are any concerns or questions regarding your request. We will try to remediate any issues accordingly. You have a right to appeal the decision to the Director, Defense Information Systems Agency. Any such appeal should offer justification to support release of the information, include a copy of this decision, and be postmarked within 90 calendar days of the date of this e-mail. The address is:

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Please feel free to contact me at natividad.silva.civ@mail.mil if you have any questions or wish to discuss. Thank you for your interest in our Agency.

Sincerely,

/s

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